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Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Junichi YOSHIZAWA) Group Art Unit: 2664
Application No.: 09/917,919) Examiner: SHAH, Chirag G.
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For: INFORMATION PROCESSING) Confirmation No.: 2102
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2005, the period for response extending through March 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.